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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION
OF TIME UNDER
37 CFR 1.136(a)**

<i>Inventor(s)</i>	Jian Zhou; Hua Chu;		
<i>Title</i>	METHOD FOR AUTOMATICALLY DE-SKEWING OF MULTIPLE LAYER WAFER FOR IMPROVED PATTERN RECOGNITION		
<i>Serial No.</i>	09/974,721	<i>Filed</i>	OCTOBER 9, 2001
<i>Examiner</i>	COLIN M. LAROSE	<i>Group Art No.</i>	1765
<i>Docket No.</i>	NAN050 US	<i>Confirmation No.</i>	7841

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) | \$120.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) | \$450.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | \$1020.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) | \$1,590.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) | \$2,160.00 |

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 60.

☒ This amount is shown in the attached fee transmittal.

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☒ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-2263.

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

The undersigned is the attorney of record.

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FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2006

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TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$ 60

METHOD OF PAYMENT

☐ Check ☒ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other ☐ None

☒ Deposit Account

Deposit
Account
Number

50-2263

Deposit
Account
Name

Silicon Valley Patent Group LLP

The Director is authorized to: (check all that apply)

☐ Charges fees(s) indicated below ☒ Credit any Overpayments

☒ Charges any additional fee(s) or any underpayment of fee(s)

☐ Charges fee(s) indicated below, except for the filing fee to the above-identified deposit account.

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Fee	Small Entity Fee	Fee Description	Fee Paid
Code (\$)	Code (\$)		
1001 790	2001 395	Utility Filing Fee	
1002 350	2002 175	Design Filing Fee	
1003 550	2003 275	Plant Filing Fee	
1004 790	2004 395	Reissue Filing Fee	
1005 160	2005 80	Provisional Filing Fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)			(\$)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
19	-24** = 0	x 0	= 0
Independent Claims 4	-7** = 0	x 0	= 0
Multiple Dependent		x	=

Large Entity Fee	Small Entity Fee	Fee Description
Code (\$)	Code (\$)	
1202 50	2202 25	Claims in excess of 20
1201 200	2201 100	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203 360	2203 180	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204 200	2204 100	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205 50	2205 25	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ 0

** or number previously paid if greater; For Reissues see above

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity Fees	Small Entity Fees	Fee Description	Fees Paid
Code (\$)	Code (\$)		
1051 130	2051 65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052 50	2052 25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053 130	1053 130	Non-English specification	
1812 2,520	1812 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804 920*	1804 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805 1,840*	1805 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251 120	2251 60	Extension for reply within one month	60
1252 450	2252 225	Extension for reply within second month	
1253 1020	2253 510	Extension for reply within third month	
1254 1,590	2254 795	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255 2,160	2255 1,080	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401 500	2401 250	Notice of Appeal	
1402 500	2402 250	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403 1000	2403 500	Request for oral hearing	
1451 1,510	1451 1,510	Petition for a public use proceeding	
1452 500	2452 250	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453 1,500	2453 750	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501 1,400	2501 700	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502 130	2502 65	Design issue fee	
1503 160	2503 80	Plant issue fee	
1460 130	1460 130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807 50	1807 50	Processing fee for provisional applications	
1806 180	1806 180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	
8021 40	8021 40	Recording each patent assignment per properties (times number of properties)	
1809 790	2809 395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1810 790	2810 395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
1801 790	2801 395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802 900	1802 900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other Fee (specify)			

* Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3) (\$ 60

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